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RE:

Settlement Discussions

Arizona-American Water Co./RWE Merger Case

Docket No. W-01303A-01-0983

As directed by the Commission, this memorandum is to provide notice in the docket that the Arizona-American Water Co. has approached Staff to request settlement discussions in the above-referenced docket. A preliminary meeting is scheduled for July 17, 2002, at 10:00 in the Commission offices.

To date, Staff has not engaged in any settlement discussions.

Parties to this docket include the Company and Staff.

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